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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)		Docket No. 026.00121
In Re Application Of: Bouyer et al.		
Serial No. 09/800,065	Filing Date March 6, 2001	Examiner Group Art Unit
Invention: Rickettsia felis Outer Membrane Protein		

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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of April 20, 2001 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☒ Four months ☐ Five months

from: June 20, 2001 until: October 20, 2001
Date Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is **\$720** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-0772**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-0772** A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Susan J. Braman
Signature

Dated: October 17, 2001

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on <u>10-17-2001</u> with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.
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